

## HEALTH WORKGROUP SPOT ANALYSIS- 5/7/2019

MENTAL HEALTH			
Strengths	Problems	Opportunities	Threats
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Home visiting programs (Healthy Futures – 1visit; Parenting Communities ; MIHP; Early Head Start).</li> <li>2 IMH endorsed Social Workers in Leelanau County – one in private practice, one employed by the health department.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limited providers</li> <li>Rigid eligibility requirements to access Community Mental Health services (e.g. income, insurance, diagnosis)</li> <li>Limited providers that take Medicaid</li> <li>Transportation</li> <li>High expense of lifelong care for mental illness</li> <li>Results aren't seen for many years.</li> <li>Current home visiting programs are fragmented and inadequately funded.</li> <li>Public health can't bill for mental health/infant mental health due to insurance restrictions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MHEF grant to build mental health workforce capacity (health department in partnership with UofM)</li> <li>Partnership with Sharecare for transportation?</li> <li>Philanthropy to help with school loans to recruit providers</li> <li>Universal home visiting for screening, referral, connection to resources</li> <li>Build in evaluation, monitoring of outcomes.</li> <li>Work with health plans to increase public health billing capacity</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding</li> <li>Few providers</li> <li>Legislatures and public do not see as priority for funding</li> </ul>
VACCINATION			
Strengths	Problems	Opportunities	Threats
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Free vaccines for uninsured</li> <li>Health Department provides vaccines to all regardless of insurance</li> <li>Most primary care providers offer vaccines</li> <li>Home visits provide education and facilitate access to immunization providers</li> <li>Health Department social media education</li> <li>Northern Michigan Vaccine Preventable Disease Task force (partnership between Munson, health departments, pediatricians to provide legislative advocacy and public information)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No pediatricians in the county</li> <li>Pockets of vaccine hesitant or anti-vax parents</li> <li>Difficult to provide information to counteract mis-information</li> <li>Logistical barriers for providers- expense of purchasing vaccine; vaccines not adequately reimbursed (expense).</li> <li>Regulations at the federal/state level to be a provider of free/VFC vaccine</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Schools to help promote vaccines</li> <li>Outreach vaccination clinics at schools</li> <li>Increased social media to promote vaccines.</li> <li>PTAs to help set up educational opportunities</li> <li>Target adolescents/young adults before child-bearing years</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Social Media</li> </ul>
HOUSING SECURITY			
Strengths	Problems	Opportunities	Threats
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Housing workgroups already in place</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not enough housing</li> <li>Not enough affordable housing</li> <li>Long wait lists and difficult applications process for subsidized housing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Home visit to assist families with accessing resources</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regulations that restrict ability to build affordable/subsidized housing</li> </ul>
PRENATAL CARE			
Approximately 15 women out of 170 births in Leelanau County do not see an OB provider in first trimester)			
Strengths	Problems	Opportunities	Threats
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Home visiting services promote and connect women to prenatal care</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No OB providers in Leelanau</li> <li>Transportation</li> <li>Work schedules</li> <li>OB does not encourage visit until 10-12 weeks)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>OB provide offer services at health department office</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Questions: How is adequate prenatal care defined? Why aren't women getting care?</li> </ul>

